

RAILROADS ARE EXPECTING BIG BUSINESS

That the passenger business at this time greatly exceeds that of a year ago, but that the freight business is not so good is the general opinion of railroad men. While more crews are working in and out of Ogden on passenger runs, there are not quite so many operating on freight trains, so the number of crews is not greater.

Freight traffic, however, is increasing daily and the indications are that the railroads will have all they can do to handle the traffic this autumn, according to local officials.

Up to present the number of people who have visited Yellowstone park this season have exceeded the number during the entire season a year ago by 10,000 and the trains are all crowded now with passengers going to the wonderland.

Oregon Short Line trains, north and south bound, have had heavy passenger travel during the summer, and, although the Union Pacific has two new trains, the number of travelers has demonstrated the need of the additional trains.

Passenger traffic on the Denver & Rio Grande is also reported unusually heavy.

The loss of so much fruit in California because of the frosts last winter is given as one reason for the decrease in freight traffic this season, but now California fruit is being hauled through the local yards at the rate of 75 cars a day with prospects of many more within a short time.

The Pacific Fruit Express company is also prepared to handle hundreds of carloads of fruit from Utah in September while railroad heads are busy planning to have cars in readiness for the heavy crops of Idaho and the northwest.

While the machinists in the Southern Pacific shops here have not been exceedingly busy during the summer and consequently have not worked on Saturdays, officials in charge state that the prospective heavy freight business will result in plenty of work in the shops. All locomotives will be needed and, upon being disabled, must be repaired in record time to be in service again.

VAN DER SCHUIT PLEADS NOT GUILTY

A plea of not guilty was entered by the attorney representing B. Van der Schuit, city superintendent of parks, this morning in Judge Reader's court. The superintendent is charged by City Sanitary Inspector George Shorten with dumping refuse from his property on the sidewalk.

TOMATOES ARE A BUMPER CROP

Reports coming from agriculturalists, horticulturalists and canners who are interested in the crop situation are exceedingly optimistic concerning the outlook in Weber and adjoining counties this season. It seems to be the general opinion that there never have been better fields of tomatoes than are growing near Ogden at the present. Should no early frosts arise, an output of canned tomatoes and catsup that will surpass last year's output in quantity and quality will result.

I. N. Pierce, president of the Utah Canning company, stated today that he had seldom seen such a stand of tomatoes as are now in the fields. So loaded are the vines and so favorable has the weather been that the to-

matoes are still growing instead of ripening, he said, and consequently the season for canning will not begin until September 1 with the possibilities that enough may ripen by August 25 to start the machinery. It is Mr. Pierce's belief that the number of cases of canned tomatoes will exceed the pack of last year. A frost is all that is to be feared, he said.

The canneries have about completed the canning of early fruits, consisting principally of apricots with a few cherries. String beans still are being canned in some factories but all are preparing for the heavy tomato season.

The peach canning season will arrive shortly after the canneries begin to work on tomatoes.

CREOSOTE HAD BEEN PLACED IN WHISKEY

Apparently suffering from some drug, in addition to the effects of too much whisky, J. Peterson, age 50 years, a lineman, was found lying back of the Western Foundry shops this forenoon and was taken to the police station to sober up and receive treatment.

Information received by the police is to the effect that workmen living in that vicinity have been missing the liquor they kept at their lodging houses. To stop the thefts, they mixed creosote with the whiskey. It is thought that Peterson may have secured some of the drugged liquor.

The man was partially undressed and in a stupor when the police took him in charge and he appeared to be suffering much pain. Dr. Whalen prescribed for him at the city jail and stated that the man appeared to be in no serious danger.

OFFICERS OF THE CHAUTAUQUA

Officers of the Utah Chautauqua assembly were elected and plans for the holding of the next Chautauqua were made at the meeting of the directors of the assembly last night in the office of Dr. E. P. Mills. The officers elected were:

H. Rolapp, president; J. T. Lewis, first vice-president; Mrs. Clara M. Sheehan, second vice-president; Dr. E. P. Mills, secretary; O. A. Farmer, treasurer.

It was decided to hold the Chautauqua next year at an earlier date. Co-operation with Reno, The Dalles and Boise to secure better attractions was also favored.

STRIKE AT THE MIDVALE PLANT

A strike for higher wages at the Midvale concentrator of the United States Smelting, Refining & Mining company, was started in the charge department today. Deputy sheriffs were rushed to Midvale from Salt Lake.

The men demanded an increase of pay of 25 cents per day. General Manager G. W. Heintz stated only about a score had actually quit work, and that the deputies were asked for as a precautionary measure. The strikers, however, claim a large number have quit and say that practically all of the 500 employees will walk out unless their demands are granted.

SOMETHING NEW TO SMOKE. Jesse Carmichael was walking downtown in New York with his friend, Bob Ginter. Bob was puffing industriously on a fat, dark cigar, and had succeeded in consuming about half of it, causing the covering to curl up with the heat. "What in thunder are you smoking?" asked Carmichael. "A fine cigar," replied Ginter. "Oh," said Carmichael sadly. "I thought it was an umbrella."—Popular Magazine.

THEY ARE HELD IN GLOOMY CELLS

For their efforts in attempting to escape from the county jail Sunday night, F. B. Lewis, Lewis Bryan and Harry Donley are being kept in solitary confinement. They now have the privilege of talking quietly to themselves, and pondering over their bad break for liberty.

The three men have confessed to the attempted delivery, the blame resting principally on Lewis, the white slaver, who advised the night deputy sheriff that some one was tampering with the north window of the west cells. He also sent a note to Deputy Sheriff Oren Hadlock, who is also on the night shift at the jail, telling him that if he would keep a lookout for a short time he would be able to capture the fellows who were working from the outside.

Bryant and Lewis were examined in the presence of each other by Sheriff DeVine and, when Bryant accused Lewis of being the leader in the affair, there was no denial.

As a punishment, the men will be closely confined in their respective cells for some time, and they will be closely watched by the officers. It is said that previous to this time, Lewis undertook to make a skeleton key that would unlock the outer door of the jail.

QUARANTINE TO BE MADE LESS SEVERE

J. E. Taylor has returned from Montana, where he met with the governor in an effort to have the quarantine against Utah fruits and vegetables lifted. He met with the Governor and received assurances that there would be some concession.

The quarantine may be modified to allow fruit and vegetable shipments after an inspection. The state of Utah may be called upon to pay for the inspection.

Federal experts agree that the quarantine cannot be made effective, as the alfalfa weevil, the object of the quarantine, has many avenues of ingress other than in fruits and vegetables.

OGDEN SCHOOL POPULATION IS 7,863

Reports of the census enumerators in the Weber county school districts to Clerk Froerer of the board show that the school population in Weber county has increased over that of last year by 52. The school population is reported as 7,863.

Complete reports from the enumerators in the city wards give an increase over last year of 341 school children. The total school population is figured at 7,863. Those persons familiar with school census reports say that the increase of 341 over the number of school children in the five wards last year indicates an increase in the city's population of about 800.

Returns from the country districts are as follows: Burch, Cheek, 161; Eden, 169; Farr West, 108; Harrisville, 142; Hooper, 282; Huntsville, 305; Kanab, 82; Liberty, 96; Marriott, 130; North Ogden, 352; Plain City, 268; Pleasant View, 151; Riverdale, 136; Roy, 192; Taylor, 108; Slaterville, 109; Uintah, 81; West Weber, 158; Wilson, 252; Warren, 82; West Warren, 62. Gains were shown at Burch, Creek, North Ogden, Roy, Slaterville, Riverdale and West Warren, while decreases were reported from Eden, Farr West, Harrisville and Pleasant View. In the city wards, the Fourth was

expected to show a big increase but the increase of 147 came as a surprise. The returns follow:

First ward, 1,865; increase, 94; Second ward, 960; increase, 11; Third ward, 1205; increase, 43; Fourth ward, 43; Fourth ward, 2,001; increase, 147; Fifth ward, 1,841; increase, 46.

MUNICIPAL COURT

The following suits have been filed in the municipal court: Proudfoot Sporting Goods Co. vs. M. Stewart Marriott; suit \$9.75. The Star vs. John A. Fickes; suit \$40.

T. B. Evans & Co. vs. Chas. R. Dana; suit \$86.45. Utah Association of Credit Men vs. Harry Davis; suit \$24.84.

Utah Association of Credit Men vs. Plain City Mercantile Co.; suit \$186.45. National Outfitting Co. vs. Jerome Peplone; suit \$15.

Ogden Wholesale Drug Co. vs. W. A. Box; suit \$14.75. Thurlval Carlson vs. O. O. Carty; suit \$50.30.

Ogden Wholesale Drug Co. vs. Geo. E. Hertz; suit \$15.25. Fred M. Nye vs. Frank Cooper; suit \$11.20.

G. J. Sieman vs. H. Call; suit \$7.50. John Culley vs. E. L. Moore; suit \$10.35.

Harness Dix & Co. vs. J. A. Youngberg; suit \$80.50. Western Brokerage Co. vs. A. Baxter; suit \$86.75.

Utah Knitting Co. vs. C. H. Ramon; suit \$68.83.

BICYCLES ARE TAKEN FROM OWNERS

Bicycle thieves are now demanding the attention of the police. Hardly a day passes but that several complaints are made that wheels have been stolen. Some are recovered where they have been left after being ridden but a majority are still missing.

Several bicycles that have been picked up in out of the way places are at the police station and the police request losers to appear at the station to see if their wheels are among those in the collection.

During the last two days G. R. Hess, Race Bowen, Clyde Belpap, Summer Warner, R. W. Burton and F. J. Goddard have complained that their wheels are missing.

MISLED BY AN ERROR IN THE LICENSE

The first legal entanglement, resulting from the misleading Utah fish and game laws, as printed on the backs of game licenses, came this morning in police court when William Mikesell tried on the charge of shooting blue grouse out of season. Mikesell pleaded that he had mistaken the grouse for sagehens as the fowl had flown from sage. When asked what right he had to shoot at sagehens, Mikesell pointed to his 1913 license and showed where it stated that the law on sagehens permits of shooting them after August 1. His two companions had 1913 licenses but they had the laws printed correctly. The 1913 statute prohibits the killing of sagehens before Aug. 15.

Mikesell admitted that he had killed the game but he maintained that they had flown from sage brush and he told the judge that he still believes them to be sagehens. Expert testimony from several in the court room, including Judge Benson, was to the effect that the dead birds exhibited by Fred Chambers, state fish and game commissioner, are grouse. Mikesell testified his license stated that he might shoot sagehens after August 1. David Jensen, county attorney, was familiar with the law on the subject and he asked Mikesell to point out on the license where that statement was made. Much to the surprise of the county attorney, he read the article.

The county attorney declared he was in favor of dismissing the case as he believed the young man was laboring under the impression that his license was correct. He considered the matter when the judge remarked that the subject before the court was one in which it would have made no difference if the license was correct, as the young man was charged with shooting grouse which are protected until October. Mikesell was found guilty, but the judge reserved passing sentence. In a complaint filed with the municipal clerk, T. Kinnermay is also charged with killing two grouse. The complaint is sworn to by Wm. Hogge of West Weber.

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DAVIS COUNTY TO COME TO OGDEN

Due to the fact that Davis county has arranged for an outing at the Hermitage August 20, the Kayaville outing billed for today has been postponed until that date. The Davis county festivities will be given by the people of all the settlements in the county and the Kayaville people decided that it would be best to combine their celebration, which was planned some time ago, with the Davis county day celebration. Lagoon is close at hand for all the clubs and towns of Davis county and it is considered among the prettiest and best equipped resorts of the state, but when the committee sent out to select a place for an annual outing for the county visited the Hermitage that place was readily chosen. The

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committee came to Ogden a number of days ago to investigate possible grounds for the day and expressed the desire to go to the Hermitage, if the grounds were large enough. The committeemen had been told that the Hermitage grounds were altogether too small for a large gathering, but when they made a survey of the premises they changed their minds.

During the day a program of outdoor sports will be given and the evening will be spent in the dancing pavilion. Picnicking will be indulged in and music and song will be features of the day's proceedings.

DIGGS AND CAMINETTI

Wanted Girls to Keep Still When Arrested and Save Them From the Pen — McNab Takes the Stand

San Francisco, Aug. 12.—If the cross-examination of minor witnesses did not consume too much time, the government expected to reach the crisis of its case against Maury I. Diggs, on trial charged with violation of the Mann white slave act, late this afternoon, when Marsha Warrington was to take the stand.

John L. McNab, whose resignation from the case and from the office of United States attorney became a national incident, took the stand for a few moments just before the noon adjournment, but his testimony was soon closed and dealt entirely with the identification of exhibits which he had presented to the grand jury when asking for indictments.

The evidence today went more minutely into the arrests at Reno, the conduct of Diggs, Caminetti, Marsha Warrington and Lola Norris, when they learned that they must return to Sacramento prisoners, and the appearance of the bungalow in which they were found.

Portions of this testimony were unprintable. The government announced at the morning session that it would call John L. McNab, former United States attorney, whose resignation brought the case into national prominence, as a witness. McNab had been sitting in court, listening to the evidence. He would be asked to identify certain exhibits, it was explained. Mr. McNab then took the stand. When the prosecution resumed its case this morning, R. J. Simon, Southern Pacific ticket agent at Sacramento, was called to continue his testimony begun last Friday. He was asked if he had sold any round trip tickets to Reno on the night of March 8 or the early morning of the tenth, but the defense objected and the court asked the purpose of the question.

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"I think you are putting the cart before the horse," observed the court. "When testimony in that intent is of-

ferred, it will be time enough for rebuttal." J. D. Hillhouse, chief of police at Reno, testified to the arrest of Diggs, Caminetti and the two girls at the Cheney street bungalow, on the morning of March 14.

The chief and his posse tried the front door and got no answer. After ringing the back doorbell for some time, Diggs answered it in his undershirt, trousers and slippers.

"You're Mr. Diggs, aren't you?" the chief asked.

"No, I'm Mr. Enright," was the answer. "I think you're Diggs and you're wanted in Sacramento for elopement."

"All right, there's no use in my attempting to deny it. I'm Diggs."

During this conversation, the chief testified, Marsha Warrington was in the south bedroom and Caminetti and Lola Norris were in the north bedroom. Caminetti was in about the same stage of undress as Diggs.

The two girls then joined each other in the bathroom and later came into the company of the men and the officers in the kitchen. Their hair was down, the witness said, and their dresses were not wholly buttoned.

From the bungalow the party was taken to the chief's office and from there to the jail. As the men were led away to their cells, witness continued, Diggs said to Marsha Warrington: "It's up to you girls whether we go to the pen or not."

"We'll stay with you," the girls answered.

The chief then entered upon a detailed description of the two bedrooms, with a view to showing that the two girls had not slept together in one room and the two men in the other.

On cross-examination, Chief Hillhouse testified that Marsha Warrington had telephoned to her father in Sacramento from his office before the men were taken to jail.

"What did she say?" "She said: 'The boys are not to blame. Don't do anything with them. Drop the case!'"

Again, the chief testified, Miss Warrington, in discussing their plight, had said:

"If it comes to a fight between the boys and our parents, we will stick to the boys."

Attorney Devlin wished to introduce a photograph of Caminetti dressed in the uniform of a Reno policeman, which he had assumed while in the chief's office.

After looking at the picture, Prosecutor Roche said:

"We have no objection to the introduction of this picture."

"It makes no difference whether you have or not," ruled the court with some asperity. "This picture will not be a travesty of the law, even if the person concerned seems to have ignored the conditions under which they were in Reno on that occasion."

On re-direct examination Chief Hillhouse testified that with him when the arrest was made was Martin Beasley of Sacramento, Marsha Warrington's uncle.

"How did she behave when she saw him?" "She shed tears and sobbed for some moments."

"And Miss Norris?" "She cried, too."

Spectators Disappointed. San Francisco, Aug. 12.—Forty-eight spectators, and no more, of the crowd that lined up early today had a chance to get inside United States

District Judge Van Fleet's court room here, where the trial of Maury I. Diggs, former state architect, charged with violating the Mann act, was picked up where it left off last Friday. There are forty-eight seats in the courtroom, outside the bar, and Judge Van Fleet ordered that, beginning today that no one who could not find a seat should be allowed to enter.

The order disappointed hundreds who hoped to hear the testimony of Marsha Warrington and Lola Morris, who are relied upon by the state to swear that young Diggs and Drew Caminetti, son of the United States commissioner of immigration, lured them to Reno, Nev., in violation of the Mann act. The young women were expected to testify today and in many persons unable to gain admission to the courtroom hung about the door, hoping that someone more fortunate would go home and leave a seat vacant.

Two witnesses were scheduled to precede the girls—Martin Beasley, an uncle of Marsha Warrington, who was instrumental in causing the arrests in the case, and Chief of Police Hillhouse of Reno, who served the warrants.

R. M. S. TEAM STILL WINNING

The Railway Mail team added another victory to the long string of games won by defeating the fast South Weber team by the score of 2 to 0, before a packed and appreciative grandstand.

The South Weber team defeated such teams as Layton, Kayaville, Hooper and Peterson, while the defeats handed out by the Mail team include the O. S. L.'s twice, Movies two, the Third ward and Union Depot men and the Ogden Wholesale drug team.

SUMMARY. R. H. E. South Weber 0 9 2 Railway Mail Service 2 7 3 South Weber 000 000 000-2 Railway Mail Service 101 000 00-2 Batteries—Fornellus and Bam-brough; Young and Brickley. Double play, unassisted by Livingston. R. M. S. only 8 men of the R. M. S. went by first base and only seven South Weber men went by first Time—1:32. Umpire—Ford.

The Railway Mail team plays the Owls next Sunday at Glenwood, the Owls having won from the champions All-Star team last Sunday.

WALL STREET. New York, Aug. 12.—For the further rise in stocks today several plausible reasons were advanced, among these being the willingness of the government to finance the crop movement, thereby relieving any strain at this center, and a widespread belief that various underwritings now under way or in prospect make higher quotations desirable.

Whatever the reason, however, the market evinced greater activity and scope than for some time.

Partial declines of the early afternoon were more than relieved later, however, under the impulse of a fresh demand, going higher than before. On the further rise, however, recessions from the best were registered by the favorites and dealings fell off in marked fashion.

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